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> Response to Office Action dated March 25, 2005 (7 pages)

> Transmittal Letter for Amendment (1 page)

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### TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant believes that no extension of time is required to respond to the Office Action dated March 25, 2005. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
- X No additional fee for claims is required.

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### RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 25, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks.